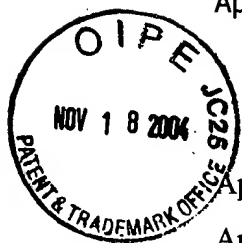


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APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF EXAMINER INTERVIEW

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Applicant would like to thank Examiner Yu and Supervisory Primary Examiner Padmanabhan for a helpful and courteous personal interview conducted on October 26, 2004. In the interview, the undersigned explained that the method according to claim 90 in the Preliminary Amendment filed on August 17, 2003 should be patentable because Davis (US 5,720,949) in view of the secondary references does not teach or suggest the application of a makeup, moisturizer and/or sunscreen after the application of an acid dermatological liquid composition and then a neutralizing dermatological liquid composition when the acid and neutralizing dermatological liquid compositions remain on the skin.

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